

EXPLOSIVE DETECTOR DOG CERTIFICATION

This sheet is an administrative document to collect data for POST staff to update the POST files on Officer and Dog. All blanks must be filled in before submitting to POST.

Dog _____ Breed _____ Whelped _____
(whelping date is required for computer records, if unknown enter "best guess" date)

Handler _____ DOB _____ SSN _____

Department _____

Full Address _____

Phone #'s: Work _____ FAX _____ Cell _____ Pager _____

Total Exam grade points _____ / _____ = Overall rating of _____

Total Indication points _____ / _____ = Indication rating of _____

Total Searching points _____ / _____ = Searching rating of _____

Total Handler points _____ / _____ = Handler rating of _____

Odors Identified _____

Judges _____

Explanation Evaluation Criteria

- Superior Performance.....Flawless and exemplary.....Letter Grade (A)
Commendable Performance...Notably skillful display.....Letter Grade (B)
Typical Performance.....Comparable to veteran Narco Dog.....Letter Grade (C)
Suitable Performance.....Consistent with deployment needs.....Letter Grade (D)
Improvement Needed.....Falls below streetworthy performance.....Letter Grade (I)
Unskilled Performance.....Little or no skill displayed.....Letter Grade (U)

Grading Scale or Increments

- 1 = Superior Performance, Flawless and exemplary.....Letter Grade (A)
2 = Commendable Performance, Notably skillful display.....Letter Grade (B)
3 = Typical Performance, Comparable to veteran Narco Dog.....Letter Grade (C)
4 = Suitable Performance, Consistent with deployment needs.....Letter Grade (D)
5 = Improvement Needed, Falls below streetworthy performance.....Letter Grade (I)
6 = Unskilled Performance, Little or no skill displayed.....Letter Grade (U)

Grading Curve

- 1.00-1.74 = Superior Performance, Flawless and exemplary.....Letter Grade (A)
1.75-2.49 = Commendable Performance, Notably skillful display.....Letter Grade (B)
2.50-3.24 = Typical Performance, Comparable to veteran Narco Dog.....Letter Grade (C)
3.25-4.00 = Suitable Performance, Consistent with deployment needs...Letter Grade (D)
4.01-5.00 = Improvement Needed, Falls below streetworthy performance..Letter Grade (I)
5.01-6.00 = Unskilled Performance, Little or no skill displayed.....Letter Grade (U)

Explosive Detector Dog Certification Scenarios

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1. Locate/Indicate two separate simulated IED's hidden on the exterior of a ground transportation vehicle such as a bus, streetcar, or truck.
 Searching Skill _____ Comments (if any) _____
 Indication #1 _____ Odor #1 _____
 Indication #2 _____ Odor #2 _____
 Diversion Pass Fail _____ Type of Diversion _____
 Handler Skill _____ Comments (if any) _____
 Name/Agency of Judge _____
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2. Locate/Indicate one simulated IED in a aircraft or ship, with a diversion.
 Searching Skill _____ Comments (if any) _____
 Indication #1 _____ Odor #1 _____
 Diversion Pass Fail _____ Type of Diversion _____
 Handler Skill _____ Comments (if any) _____
 Name/Agency of Judge _____
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3. Locate/Indicate one simulated IED in a workplace environment (repair shop, etc.)
 Searching Skill _____ Comments (if any) _____
 Indication #1 _____ Odor #1 _____
 Handler Skill _____ Comments (if any) _____
 Name/Agency of Judge _____
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4. Locate/Indicate one simulated IED hidden among a minimum of six vehicles.
 Searching Skill _____ Comments (if any) _____
 Indication #1 _____ Odor #1 _____
 Handler Skill _____ Comments (if any) _____
 Name/Agency of Judge _____
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5. Locate/Indicate one simulated IED (1000+ grams) buried. For Utah POST certification, this exercise may be substituted with a realistic exercise at the request of the Handler/Department.
 Searching Skill _____ Comments (if any) _____
 Indication #1 _____ Odor #1 _____
 Handler Skill _____ Comments (if any) _____
 Name/Agency of Judge _____
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6. Locate/Indicate one discharged firearm and one pile of discharged cartridges. For Utah POST certification, this exercise may be substituted with a realistic exercise at the request of the Handler/Department or it may be omitted.
 Searching Skill _____ Comments (if any) _____
 Firearm _____
 Cartridges _____
 Diversion Pass Fail _____ Type of Diversion _____
 Handler Skill _____ Comments (if any) _____
 Name/Agency of Judge _____
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7. Locate/Indicate one simulated IED on the exterior of a large building, to include any reasonable attachment such as a garbage can, bench, etc.
 Searching Skill _____ Comments (if any) _____
 Indication #1 _____ Odor #1 _____
 Handler Skill _____ Comments (if any) _____
 Name/Agency of Judge _____
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8. Locate/Indicate one simulated IED hidden inside a large building such as a postal facility, commercial establishment, or industrial warehouse.
 Searching Skill _____ Comments (if any) _____
 Indication #1 _____ Odor #1 _____
 Handler Skill _____ Comments (if any) _____
 Name/Agency of Judge _____
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9. Locate/Indicate one simulated IED in a VIP environment (i.e., conference room or stage).
 Searching Skill _____ Comments (if any) _____
 Indication #1 _____ Odor #1 _____
 Handler Skill _____ Comments (if any) _____
 Name/Agency of Judge _____
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